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The Secretary-General of the United Nations presents his compliments to the President of the Security Council and, in accordance with paragraph 8 of Security Council resolution 816 (1993), has the honour to bring to his attention further information received by the United Nations Protection Force (UNPROFOR) regarding apparent violations of the ban on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Between 16 and 18 August 1994, there appear to have been 14 flights of fixed - or rotary-wing aircraft in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina other than those exempted in accordance with paragraph 1 of resolution 816 (1993) or approved by UNPROFOR in accordance with paragraph 2 of that resolution. Details as to the itinerary of flights in this reporting period are attached as an annex to the present note verbale.

The total number of flights assessed as apparent violations is now 1,884.

Annex

Information on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina not authorized by the United Nations Protection Force

(16-18 August 1994)

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading, altitude, speed
1893	16 Aug.	0719	0726	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white MI-8/HIP helicopter with blue stripes taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South Low Slow
1894	16 Aug.	0741	0743	An UNPROFOR flight made visual contact with a helicopter 22 kilometres south-west of Tuzla. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina	Unknown Low Slow
1895	16 Aug.	0755	0756	UNPROFOR personnel observed the flight of a helicopter 3 kilometres north-west of Vitez. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	South-east Low Slow
1896	16 Aug.	0910	0912	North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) fighter aircraft observed the flight of a green helicopter 42 kilometres south-east of Bihac in the area of Bosanski-Petrovac. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Bosnian Serbs.	Unknown Low Slow
1897	16 Aug.	1118	1140	UNPROFOR personnel observed the flight of a helicopter 8 kilometres north of Banja Luka. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	Circling Low Slow
1898	16 Aug.	1500	1501	UNPROFOR personnel observed the flight of an MI-8/HIP in the area of Kiseljak. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	Unknown Low Slow
1899	17 Aug.	0754	0759	UNPROFOR personnel observed the flight of a Gazelle helicopter approximately 1 kilometre south of Gorni Vakuf. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	South Low Slow
1900	17 Aug.	1312	1317	UNPROFOR personnel observed an MI-8 helicopter take off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-west Low Slow
1901	17 Aug.	1527	1533	UNPROFOR personnel observed an MI-8 helicopter land at Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	Landing Low Slow
1902 1903	17 Aug.	1930	1937	UNPROFOR personnel observed the flight of two helicopters approximately 10 kilometres east of Srebrenica. The unauthorized flights took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	North Low Unknown

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1904	17 Aug.	1930	1937	UNPROFOR personnel observed the flight of a helicopter approximately 10 kilometres north of Srebrenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	East High Unknown
1905	17 Aug.	2050	2052	UNPROFOR personnel observed the flight of a helicopter approximately 10 kilometres west of Vitez. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	South Unknown Slow
1906	18 Aug.	1220	1225	UNPROFOR personnel observed the flight of an MI-8/HIP over Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina	North Low Slow